

**BOROUGH OF RED BANK  
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**

**RESOLUTION NO. 22-163**

**RESOLUTION RETAINING MICHELE DONATO  
TO SERVE AS COUNSEL TO THE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION FOR THE  
BOROUGH OF RED BANK EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2022 TO DECEMBER 31, 2022**

**WHEREAS**, the Historic Preservation Commission of the Borough of Red Bank (the "Borough") requires the services and advice of an attorney to ensure the proper functioning and administration of the Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, the members of the Historic Preservation Commission recommended to the Borough that Michele Donato, Esq. is both qualified and possesses the required expertise to serve as counsel to the Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough has reviewed the qualifications of Michele Donato, Esq. and concurs with the Commission's recommendation; and

**WHEREAS**, the value of the services to be provided by Michele Donato, Esq. are proposed at an hourly rate of \$175/hour not to exceed \$5,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i), requires the public advertisement of notice with respect to contracts for professional services awarded without competitive bids;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Mayor & Council of the Borough of Red Bank as follows:

1. Michele Donato, Esq. is hereby appointed as Counsel to the Historic Preservation Commission for the purposes set forth in this Resolution, effective July 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022.
2. Michele Donato, Esq. is hereby retained by the Borough at an hourly rate of \$175/hour not to exceed \$5,000.00.
3. No appropriation of funds is required at this time.
4. The contract is awarded without competitive bidding as a professional service under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i).
5. That a notice in accordance with this Resolution and the New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law shall be published at least one time in the Borough's official newspaper.
6. That a certified copy of this Resolution shall be provided to the Mayor, Borough CFO, Borough Tax Assessor, and Michele Donato, Esq.

	MOVED	SECONDED	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT	I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Red Bank, In the County of Monmouth at a Meeting held on June 22, 2022.	
Councilwoman Mirandi							<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Councilwoman Sturdivant				x				
Councilwoman Triggiano							<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Councilman Ballard			x					
Councilman Zipprich	x		x					
Councilwoman Horgan		x	x					
Mayor Menna								
ON CONSENT AGENDA			Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>				

*Laura Reinertsen*

Laura Reinertsen, Borough Clerk